GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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ACTIVITIES OF ISI AGENTS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether ISI agents functioning in the country are funded by the Pakistan High Commission as reported in the Times of India dated February 26, 2005;

(b) if so, the facts and the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has contemplated any action plan to break the nexus of Pakistan High Commission with ISI agents functioning in the country; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a)&(b): As per available reports, Delhi Police interdicted on 12.2.2005 a Pak/Pak ISI sponsored agent with some sensitive defence related information/documents. Subsequently, one co-accused was also arrested. A case under the official Secrets Act has been registered against them.

(c)&(d): In order to curb Pak/Pak ISI supported terrorist activities, the Government has pursued a multi-pronged approach which besides diplomatic initiatives, includes strengthening the border management to check infiltration, galvanizing the intelligence machinery, improved technology, weaponry and equipments for security forces both at the Centre and in the States, neutralizing plans of terrorist groups/anti-national elements/ISI agents by well coordinated intelligence based operations.